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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Takehiro TSUTSUMI et al

SERIAL NO.: 09/650,083

FILED: August 29, 2000

FOR: WATER-BASED INK

GROUP ART UNIT: 1713

EXAMINER: Kelechi EGWIM

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a two month extension of time be granted to September 4, 2002 for:

- filing a response to the Official Action dated April 4, 2002.
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated _____.
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due _____ has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated _____.
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due _____ has been filed.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on _____.
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$400.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney or Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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